

## **NOTICE OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY**

### **DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ADDICTION PREVENTION AND RECOVERY ADMINISTRATION OFFICE OF PREVENTION AND YOUTH SERVICES**

#### **State Incentive Grant Youth Substance Abuse Prevention**

The District of Columbia Department of Health (DOH), Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration (APRA), Office of Prevention and Youth Services (OPYS) is soliciting applications from qualified applicants to design and implement evidence-based substance abuse prevention programs for youth, between the ages of 12 and 17.

A total of \$600,000 in federal funds is available for four (4) grants. The US Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), Substance Abuse Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), Center for Substance Abuse Prevention (CSAP) awarded the funds to the District of Columbia, Office of the Mayor.

The Request for Applications (RFA) will be released on Monday, March 17, 2003, and the deadline for submission is Thursday, April 17, 2003. A Bidders Conference is scheduled for Wednesday, March 26, 2003, at 3:00 p.m. at 1300 First Street, NE, Third Floor.

Applications may be obtained from the Department of Health, 825 North Capitol Street, NE, Room 3127, Washington, D.C. 20002. The RFA will be available on The Office of Partnerships and Grants Development website, [www.opgd.dc.gov/main.shtm](http://www.opgd.dc.gov/main.shtm), under the District Grants Clearinghouse, on or after March 17, 2003.

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